

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Kern, et al.

Group Art Unit: 3634

Serial No. 09/394,027

Examiner: Redman, J.

Filed: September 10, 1999

For: RESILIENT DOOR PANEL

**PETITION FOR THREE-MONTH EXTENSION  
OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)**

Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

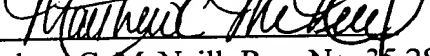
In accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), the undersigned attorney, on behalf of applicant(s), hereby petitions for a three-month extension of time to and including June 15, 2001, to file a response to the Office Action of December 15, 2000, which carried an original response date of March 15, 2001.

Authorization is hereby given to charge the \$890 fee to Deposit Account 18-1450. Any additional fee which may be due or any other charges in connection with this application should be charged to Deposit Account No. 18-1450.

Signed at Milwaukee, in the County of Milwaukee and State of Wisconsin, on June 27, 2001.

Respectfully submitted,

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